



IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/726,574 Confirmation No. 5066
Applicant : Shihe FAN et al.
Filed : December 4, 2003
Title : METHOD OF EX VITRO SOWING, GERMINATION,
GROWTH AND CONVERSION OF PLANT SOMATIC
EMBRYOS OR GERMINANTS, AND NUTRIENT
MEDIUM USED THERETO
Art Unit : 1661
Examiner: : Annette H. Para

AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Final Action of January 5, 2007, and accompanies a Request for Continued Examination. The application is to be amended as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks commence on page 8 of this paper.